

CLAIMS:

I claim:

1 1. A boat cover for a boat hoist comprising:
2 a framework shaped to be attached to a plurality
3 of pilings of a boat hoist;
4 a fabric boat cover having a top portion attached
5 over said framework and a side portion extending over
6 the sides of said framework;
7 a plurality of cover frame members attached to
8 said fabric boat cover side portion in spaced
9 relationship to each other; and
10 a boat cover raising and lowering mechanism for
11 raising and lowering said cover side portion, said
12 boat cover raising and lowering portion having a
13 rotatable shaft operatively rotated by a motor
14 connected thereto, said shaft being attached to said
15 framework beneath said fabric boat cover top portion,
16 and having a plurality of winding cords connected at
17 one end to said shaft for rotation therearound upon
18 rotation of said shaft, each said winding cord being
19 connected to the other end thereof to one of said
20 plurality of cover frame members attached to said
21 frame cover side portion whereby rotating said shaft
22 in one direction will wind said plurality of winding
23 cords thereon to raise said boat cover side portion
24 and rotating said shaft in the other direction will
25 unwind said winding cords thereon to lower said cover
26 side portion.
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1 2. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 1 in which said plurality of winding cords
3 includes a first winding cord wrapped around said
4 shaft in one direction and a second said winding cord
5 wraps around said shaft in the other direction whereby
6 rotation of said shaft with wind or unwind said first
7 and second winding cords simultaneously.

1 3. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 2 in which said framework includes a
3 perimeter frame portion and at least one cross frame
4 member.

1 4. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 3 including a plurality of pulleys attached
3 to said framework.

1 5. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 4 including a plurality of lifting cords
3 attached to one of said winding cords, each of said
4 plurality of lifting cords passing around one said
5 pulley.

1 6. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 5 in which said motor is an electric motor.

1 7. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 6 in which said framework has a plurality
3 of connected plastic pipe frame members.

1 8. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 7 in which each said lifting cord is
3 connected to the bottom most of said plurality of
4 cover frame members.

1 9. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 8 including a plurality of framework
3 brackets, each said framework bracket being attached
4 to one of a plurality of hoist pilings for attaching
5 said framework perimeter frame thereto.

1 10. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 4 in which said fabric cover is a generally
3 waterproof polymer fabric.

1 11. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 10 in which said shaft is pipe extending
3 between and rotatably supported between two journals,
4 said pipe having said motor attached to one end for
5 rotation of said pipe on said journals.

1 12. A boat cover for a boat hoist in accordance
2 with claim 11 including a plurality of eyes attached
3 to said cover frame bottom most cover frame member
4 and having one said lifting cord attached thereto.
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